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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

Crystal WATKINS et al.

Title:

METHODS FOR PREVENTION AND

TREATMENT OF GASTROINTESTINAL

DISORDERS

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop NON-FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[X] No fee is required for additional claims as calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	7	-	46	=	0	X	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independents:	2	-	6	=	0	x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
Fir	st presentati	ion (of any Multiple	Dep	endent Claims:	+	\$290.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	S FE	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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